# Large Bands Collected at Various Points.

Active Military Measures to Suppress the Insurrection.

5,000 Troops Called for to Suppress Them.

Marroos, El. Wednesday, March 30, 1864, On the receipt of the news of the riot at Charlesten, Ill., 250 men of the 54th Illinois regiment, rendervousing here went to Charleston,

The rioters having left Charleston before our treep arrived there, pursuit was made and about 30 prisoners were taken and brought to this place.

The Copperheads in this and the adjoining countie commenced mustering their forces with the avewed purpose of rescuing the prisoners.

Reports from different sources say that the ricers are from 1,000 to 1,500 strong, and will attack the place to-night. Every precaution is being taken so give them

It is believed that with the Innites efforts of the citizens and soldiers still here the pace can be held against the rieters until the arrival of reconcernents.

LATER, 11 a. m - The insurgents are said to be threatening both Cherieston and Mattoon. A reconnoissance last night found them fertified 12 miles from

Information that they are in force at Copanus Mil's. 10 miles south, and at a place eight miles west of Mattoon. Col. Onkes, Provost-Marshal-General, has arrived.

The 41st Illinois Regiment has been ordered here take care from Camp Yates, and 500 men have been ordered from

Sheriff O'Hair has been joined at his rendezvous by the Sheriff of Edgar County, with a gang of despera-

A spy sent out by the insurgents was captured this afternoon. He confesses that there are large bands at the two places above mentioned, but refuses to give far ther information.

The telegraph wires east and south of here have been

Scouts returned at 113 report a force of rebels, 1,500

strong, three miles east of Mattoon.

Mattoon. Ill., Thursday, March 31, 1864. Everything seems to have resumed its usual quiet, and the rebels are believed to have been dispersed. The 47th Indiana Regiment has left; the 41st Illinois Volunteers remain until the return of Col. Oakes from

SPRINGS IELD, Ill., Wednesday, March 30, 1864 Col. Oakes, Assistant Provost-Marshal-General, started for Charleston last night, and telegraphs to day for the 41st regiment, which left this afternoon, Gen. Heintzelman has also been requested to send 5,000 troops from Indianapolis. This indicates that the trouble in that section is of a serious character.

## FROM ARKANSAS.

The Expedition Scut Southward from Fort Smith-A Formidable Force-The Strength of Price's Army-Movements of the Rebels,

FORT SMITH, Wednesday, March 30, 1864. About 10,000 effective troops have gone South a place from this district.

The whole number in the Department, under Gen. Steele, now moving southward, is from 30,000 to 35,000 to overpower any Rebel force opposed to

Gen. Cabell's Rebel force, composed of seven or eight | regiments, is fifteen miles this side of Washington, Mo. | ex The Rebel troops were being moved toward Camden The Rebel Gan. Gano has some 7,000 to 8,000 Texans at Fennersport. The Rebel Gens. Marmaduke and Shelby are at Canden. The Rebels are well supplied with put the goerrillas to elething, and an importation of horses from England has just reached them at Camden. A large number of negroes are being concentrated at

Camden. Quantrell is south of the Red River.

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expedition to Lake George-Capture of th Sumter, and Hattie Brock-A Brilliant Exploit-Rebel Impudence-Deserters-The Plans of the Enemy-Attack on Pilatka-Conscription of Negroes-Schools for White and Elack Children.

HEADQUARTEES DIST. FLORIDA. }

Some of the few and true friends of the Union use, which we found in this place and vicinity, gave us information on our arrival that a number of

PROM THE DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH.

comprising both black and white children, has been organized. The attendance at present is about 100. Mrs. By the transport steamer Fulton, Capt. Wotten, arrived on Thursday morning, we have news from Port Royal to March 27. The following is her Passengers.—The Hen. Geo. Gale, Miss Dix, Mrs. Hooker.

Passengers.—The Hen. Geo. Gal

Capture of Pickets-Negro Prisoners Manged-Sufferings of Union Men-Capture of a Prize-Pilatka Portified -Beauregard Fortifying Against us-Rebel Enid on Magnolia Murder of Negro Fugitives by the Rebels.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 26, 1864 The monotony of our dull times was lately zen's clothes. The prisoners of war are Sargt. Finney. Company B, and Private Patterson, Company A, 40th M'CLELLAN'S SUPPRESSED TELEGRAMS AND LET-Massachusetts.

The quasi-loyal Floridians who, under existing regula tions, enjoy a monopoly of trade in Jacksonville, have eason to be pleased with the presence of our troops. They are making money rapidly. And the money is worth something. So, too, are the goods they sell. But

When our late commander ordered the retreat from Sanderson to Jacksonville, he left in the rear of our rmy many worthy people who had been induced to take the oath of allegiance to the Union. These, as might

confinence of Orange and Silver Springs in Marion is maintained by the Mexican Republic, the Republic County, emptying into the St. John's River, a little only will be recognized by us. southward of Pilatka. The Hattle and Reliance are known to lark among the headwaters of the St. John's River, and a gunboat is likely soon to find and give an

## Disasters on the Const-Gen. Seymonr Re

their small arms, without firing a shot. Masters
Ferrons and Whiter had charge of the Minnesota's
boats. The capture is important, as the officers taken
prisoners were in the Rebel signal service, and of
ligher rank than appears above.

The schooner Lydia Ann. Capt. Overton, was lost at
see on the 23d. Her crew were picked up by the schooner
Maria Romanna.

The last of the Russian frigates sailed for New-York
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The English frigate Buzzard arrived last evening.

and anabored in Hampton Ronds.

Rebel Commissioner of Ezchange, Robert Ould, and
Capt. Hatch of Richmond, arrived last evening.

The steamer Adelaide, Capt. Canon, left this morning,
an the fig. of truce boat A. Winauts.

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It is thought the enemy was simply feeling of James A. McCrea, who pleaded guilty to the charge of selling whisky to soldiers, the Military Commission of general engagement. As he left a few dead and refer the dead and present dead on order side.

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THE ELECTIVE FRANCHISE IN MONTANO.

to strike out the words "every free white male inhabit- cruits who may be so unfortunate as to fall into their ant" from the felective franchise clause, and insert hands, every male citizen of the United States and those who crafty suggestion from a Border State Senator that be had better insert in the bill distinct authority to black appleasantly broken by the capture of three of our men to vote, Mr. Wilkinson replied that he was satis pickets. Two of these were white men. The third, a fied with the amendment as offered, and hoped never negro, was hanged as a spy. He was captured in citi- again to see in an ast of the United States Congress the He then left, but seen returned with a woman who words "White and Elack."

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The telegrams and letters which passed between Gen. McClellan and the President and the War Department, during the last year of his command, and which were almost wholly omitted from his (McClellan's) report, will be sent to the Senate to-morrow, and very speedily published by Frank Moore, ultimately for incorporation in the Rebellion Record. They will be of great military and political interest.

THE NEW MEXICAN GOVERNMENT.

Anthoritative denial is given to the statement in an English newspaper that the United States Goverament would send a Minister to Maximilian's Court in Mexico. Our Government will recognize no revolutionary Government whatever, and while the struggle

MOVEMENTS OF GEN. GRANT.

Gen. Grant came in from the front to-day, and went down to Fortress Monroe, in company with Elibu B. Washburne.

be made next week.

WOOD-CHOPPERS AND LABORERS TO BE EMPLOYED. tered to hire 6,000 choppers and laborers to cut wood for the Government navigation of the Mississippi between Baton Ronge and the mouth of the White River. This army of axmen will be armed.

SAILOR-SOLDIERS CALLED FOR. The number of sailor-soldiers called for out of the army is 12,000, to be distributed as follows: At Caire, 1,000; Boston, 2,000; New-York, 5,000; Philadelphia, 3,000; Baltimore, 1,000,

THE EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

The Rebel prisoners lately sent South, and the Union prisoners delivered at City Point, have not been explanated as its generally supposed, but puroled, Station, strived at Jersey City on the Beaton boat, and at the foot of Bre been exchanged, as is generally supposed, but paroled. GES. M'CLELLAN NOT RECOMMENDED FOR THE

The statement that Gen. McClellan had been recommended for command of the Defenses of Washington is denied upon the highest authority.

To the Associated Press.

Washington, Thursday, March 31, 1864. TRANSFER OF SAILORS FROM THE ARMY TO THE ARMY. The Secretary of the Navy in his response

on dennie resolution of inquiry says no transfers of sec on the very glob of the 25th they encountered severe to their allegance to the Coverment, and reposses themselves of what they have lost during the past three price of her life, had follow and grief, as she saw that her analysis of the globe from the S. E. and on the 25th they encountered severe themselves of what they have lost during the past three years by secolating themselves with the most accurace of what they have lost during the past three years by secolating themselves with the most accurace of what they have lost during the past three years by secolating themselves with the most accurace of what they have lost during the past three years by secolating themselves with the most accurace of the country.

She was elsewant to the sail of the sail jected, as the strict letter of the law permitted no exemption of mariners from the draft, no credit to any place for naval enlistments, nor in the execution of the law was there any relaxation of the Enrollment act whereby the navy could be strengthened and maintained. Exemption were made by the Executive of several decided for the end of on the 27th at 3 clock p. m.

Constructions of C. Bingham of Gen. Gillmore's staff, and his assisting, Mr. L. D. Cunninghure, gave a splendid entertainment to the officers of the steamer Patton on the right of Friday, 25th inst. All the Generals in the deportment were invited to attend. On the 22th, passed three serue steamers bound South.

On the 22th, passed a screw-steamer, supposed to be the Merrimac, bound South.

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Te-day the gamen becomes a few steamers and the navy itself soon began to feel the effects of this policy.

Significan in a true the Command and State Indian and the significant of the surface of the surf years' service, should be transferred from the army to the navy without having any reduction from the prize money to which they may become entitled, and that so much of the amendatory enrollment act as withholds

The fact that Cooke escaped punishment and Senator Wilkinson knocked down one of the is now at liberty on light ball has given fresh courage buttresses of Slavery to-day with an amendment to the bill organizing the Territory of Montano. He moved they have left their hiding places to prey upon the re

On Thersday a volunteer was taken to the headquar have declared their intention to become such." To a ters of the County Committee, and the runner who ac him of his \$300 bounty. He offered to take charge of the money and convey it safely to the hands of the so

> About 200 men, more than three-fourths of whom were new recruits, received the County bounty from the hands of Supervisor Flunt on Thursday. ARRIVAL OF TROOPS.

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On Thursday Si men from Anburn arrived at the Park Barracks en goule for Weshington.

A MILITARY PARADE.

Yesterday afternoon Gen. Dix issued orders for a parade of ell the United States troops in this city and harbor on Monday aext, at the opening of the Sanitary Fair. This body of troops will move in connection with the 1st Division of Militia, the former, under Gen. Standard, the latter under Gen. Sandford.

TURNED OUT OF OFFICE.

A clerk employed by the County Committee

Gen. Grant come in from the front classy, and went down to Fortress Monroe, in company with 25thm B. Wasaburne.

PRIVILEGES TO CABINET OFFICERS.

A clerk employed by the County Committee when they concealed themselves in the adjoining houses, when they concealed themselves in the adjoining houses, while their sharpshooters picked off our men at their speculating on bountles paid by the Government to against engaged in scentring volunteers. Ten dollars is allowed for each new recruit, and \$15 for each veteran brought in legitimately by any person. This clerk has been in the habit of buying the claims of these agents for half their real value, some preferring the ready money to waiting for it two or three days, the time remained to hold the fort, and to have a fair chance at the Rebels, the adjoining houses, which are defined to make the ready money to waiting for it two or three days, the time remained to hold the fort, and to have a fair chance at the Rebels, the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, when they concealed the meeters in the adjoining houses, while their sharpshooters picked off our men at their sharpshooters picked off our men at their sharpshooters, the case when the remaining they attacked the fort, but were driven off.

The following is a summary of the business done by the County Volunteer Committee since the 1sth of March: MASSACHUSETTS VETERANS.

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Usition A. A. P. M. GRA. Southers Division. Respectfully returned to W. A. Van Benthinyser. The view taken of the matter in this office is that the substitute would be enthied to the United States bound of \$100, and subsing credited to the quota, would also receive the county

EFCRUITING IN BROOKLYN.

Naval.

A BOUNTY TO SAILORS.

To-day the Government rendezvous for enliating scamen transferred to the army and others, will be opened in York street. Brooklyn, near the Navy-Yard. The Board of Supervisors organized for the ptypose of expediting the manning of the Navy have made arrangements to give a bounty to each enlisted man. A member of the Board is advertised to be on hand to-day with money. It is said that \$100 will be given. The Navy Department have also authorized enother bounty of \$54 to be paid to each recruit. This would make \$154. The last named, however, is to be deducted from the prize money, or other extra cenoluncat of the saidor. There are only about 3,000 men needed immediately, and as the New-York quota of transferred soldiers is 2,000, that number if obtained, would go far to supely our most pressing

much of the amendatory enrollment act as withholds bounty from saleots transferred from the army be repealed. If legislation, as he believes to be the case, has carried marines into the military service, they should all be taken out by the most summary process, and transferred to the navy, where their natural education remakes them indispensable, but which deducation remoders them indicated for a like purpose. All three will go to see to dozy, each having a full complement of officers and men. The Onondaga is commanded by Capt. Mehancthon Smith, of the Regular Navy. The Teamsel is rapidly preparing to follow these vessels, and will probably be ready for sea by the 15th of April. She is commanded by Capt. Craven, formerly of the New Items of Cavalry is the Department of the North-West, has OFF FOR MOBILE. THE NAVY-YARD IRON-CLADS.

THE NAVY-YARD IRON-CLADS.

Efforts are being made to have the Agamenticus ready to launch at Portsmouth, N. H., on the 10th inst. All the other vessels of the first batch of Government built iron-clads, the Tonawanda, Monadnock, and Mantanomah are allost; and at nearly all the Navy-Yards the new ships, which were ordered some time since, are underweigh. The Kalamazoo, at Brooklyn, has her ribs all up, and is going into frame rapidly.

THE RECENT BAD WRATHER.

COLONELS COMANDING BRIGADES.

There are 162 Colonels now commanding brigades, without including those temporarily com-

pieces of artillery with their cassions and 200 prisoners. FROM CAIRO AND PADUCAM.

Surrender of Col. Wawkins to Rebel For-

Once more Cairo is the seat of activity. War is all around us. More than a month ago it was well

Ky., on the 23d inst. This place is on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, about 25 miles south of Columbus. He attacked our forces under Col. Hawkins, 7th Tennessee Cavalry. After a fight of some time Hawkins surronered, much against the will of his officers and men, so it is said. The force numbered about 400, had just been paid off, and had about \$50,000.

people, and is a beautiful little city. The majority have been disloyal, and clamered for their rights. Our force at Paducah numbered about 200 white and 300 colored soldiers, commanded by Col. Hicks. The Rebels came into the town on horseback, in long columns, shooting at

West remeasure.

Felock a. m.—I have just learned that the cent driven out of Paduenh, and that they Hickman. They lost not far from 300 wounded. The gunboats, at last, and the centre of the centre

The Provost-Marshal-General has ordered the seizure of Pollerd's Southern History of the War, the

The steamer Florence sunk in the Missouri River on Monday. She is valued at \$50,000, and was insured for \$28,000. She was loaded with bacon, hemp, and grain,

The special dispatch of The Democrat, from Cairo,

force, which was ordered from Jackson, Tenn., to Paducah, had returned, Col. Hicks, the Union commander, being strong enough to repulse any attack.

During the fight at Paducah the Rebels to Hammond from the hospital, and murdered her. Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Eagan, and Mrs. Mo-Chorg were also taken to the front, placed between the two fires, and kept there as hour. Their dresses were perforated with bullets. While the Rebel flag of truce was moving forward the Rebels disposed their forces for action. Our men had ceased firing for fear that the

A man has been arrested on the steamer Anderson having in his possession the freshly taken scalp of a white man, supposed to have belonged to one of our sol-

them are two women.

From Chattaneoga.

All was quiet at Ringgold. Gens. Granger and Sheridan went to Knexville on the

DEFEAT OF THE REBELS.

# Capture of Four Guns and 200 Prisoners.

Sr. Louis, Thursday, March 31, 1864. The New-Orleans Delta of the 23d inst, says: Official information was received this morning that a reconnoissance was made, under Gen. Mower, to Teachoes, 75 miles above Alexandria, on the 21st, where the enemy was met in some force. A fight ensued, in which we turned the Rebels' flank, and captured four

rest-Attack on Paduenh-Plunder of the City-The Cunboats at Work-Rebels Defeated. m Our Special Correspondent.

known that Forrest was preparing for another raid. Accordingly, five regiments and one company of artillery of the 4th Division, 16th Army Corps, Gen. Veach a few days, waiting for the storm. It has come. Forrest appeared with a large force at Union City.

Thence, with this booty, Forrest departed for Padueah, which is 50 miles from Cairo, contains about 8,000

Confederate Official Reports, the Life of Stonewall Jackson, Morgan and Ilis Men, and all publications based upon Rebel information circulating or for sale in this Department.

most of which will be lost. About 200 wagons leave St. Joseph daily for Idaho.

Rebel prisoners state that the main body of Forrest's

women would be killed.

diers. Several persons have been arrested as spice. Among

New-Orleans papers of the 23d contain no news.

which says: Gens. Sherman, Granger, McPherson, Sheridan, and Barry were in counsel all day, at the headquarters of

CINCINNATI, Thursday, March 31, 1864. The Gazette has a dispatch from Chattanooga.